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Subject: FW: KTOI Nutrients
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Last document. Note that this document will be final in 1-2 months.

From: Fredenberg, Wade [mailto:wade_fredenberg@fws.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, February 18, 2015 11:18 AM
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Ask and ye shall receive!

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Subject: RE: KTOI Nutrients
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Hi Wade,

Attached is our 2013-14 annual report. Please note that this report has NOT been

approved by our Bureau, so it is not yet available for citation; however, it has been submitted for approval and should be available for citation in the next 1-2 months. This report includes all work we do on the Kootenai River. The chapter of interest to you will be the last chapter (on the nutrient restoration project). Please let me know if you have any further questions or if I can help in any other way.

Best,

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TJ

Thanks. Because this relates to the effects on bull trout (ESA issue) that's what's relevant, but I'm presuming there is no comprehensive bull trout response, due to low numbers; so the next best thing is to probably just look generally at biomass and potential forage (e.g., mountain whitefish). So, whatever you can give me will be helpful.